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PATENT

Case No. 6667/25 (LTC-14-US (PCT))

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Sakurai et al.

Serial No.: 09/980,677

Filed: October 31, 2001

For: PRESSURE SENSITIVE ADHESIVE
SHEET AND PRESSURE SENSITIVE
ADHESIVE SHEET WITH A
RELEASE SHEET

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) Group Art Unit: 1772
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) Examiner: Egan

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

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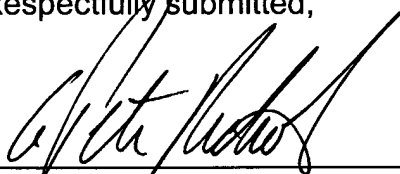
Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated August 26, 2003 of the Examiner finally rejecting Claims 33-43.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. ☐ An extension of time to respond to the final rejection was granted on _____ for _____ month(s).
2. ☐ A timely response to the final rejection has been filed, as provided in 841 O.G. 1411.
3. ☒ **Fee \$330.00 Other than a Small Entity**
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☐ Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal)
☐ Charge to Deposit Account No. 23-1925 (One additional copy of this Notice enclosed herewith)
☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
4. ☒ I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. Please charge any associated fees which have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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